

Community Development Code Division

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POF	RTA		PLICA / TEMF PERM	POR		SIGN	I	FEES FOR PLAN REVIEW		\$75.00/ sign With \$50.00 refunded upon remov)	PERMIT # Total Amount Paid \$	
PROPERTY		Parcel I	D Map		Lot		Zor	ning District				Date Paid:	
OWNER/ ADDRESS		Propert Owner/ Physica Address	I										
		Busines Owner	s										
BUSINESS OWNER For sign requested		Busines Name	s										
	sted	Phone											
		Email											
Type of Sign – Banner etc													
Wording of Sign-													
Date wanted:		From		Т	Го:								
	FOR OFFICE USE ONLY												
Approved	Den	nied Town Of			ficial			Staff Signature			Date		
			ode Enforcement Officer:										

- 1) Except as otherwise provided by the ordinance, all portable signs shall require a Permit issued by the Code Enforcement Officer. The Code Enforcement Officer shall grant any such permit upon demonstration by the applicant that the sign is in full compliance with all laws and ordinances applicable to said permit, unless in the opinion of the Code Enforcement Officer, granting such permit would endanger the public safety. The application for such permit shall contain the name and address of the applicant, the purpose for which the portable sign is requested, and the written consent of the owner or lessee of the premises on which the sign is to be located.
- 2) The permit <u>shall be granted for a period of thirty (30) days.</u> There shall be no more than two such permits to be issued for any particular property, business or location in any twelve (12) month period provided,

however, that there shall be a waiting period of not less than thirty (30) days between the date of expiration of one such permit and the issuance of the next such permit. Upon expiration of the permit, the portable sign shall immediately be removed. In addition to the non refundable \$25.00 application fee the applicant shall pay in advance a deposit \$50.00 to be refunded upon removal of the sign in conformance with this ordinance; provided, however, if the sign is not removed upon expiration of the permit, the Town shall notify the permit holder in writing of the violation and indicate that he has ten (10) days from mailing of the letter to appeal the proposed forfeiture to the Code Enforcement Officer. If the matter is not timely appealed to the C.E.O. or, if appealed, the appeal be denied, the deposit shall be forfeited to the Town. Such forfeiture shall be in addition to any other remedies otherwise provided bylaw. The requirement of a deposit shall be waived for non-profit organizations.

3) Portable signs in excess of thirty-two (32) square feet in surface area shall not be permitted.

GENERAL

- 1) All signs may be illuminated only by non-flashing lights shielded from view in the public way or in residential districts nearby. No internally illuminated signs are allowed in the Village Centers and Urban Commercial Zoning Districts.
- 2) All signs shall comply with Section 2-3 D, H of the Gorham Land Use & Development Code "Signs",
- 3) Billboards shall not be permitted in the Town of Gorham.

The undersigned hereby makes application to the Town of Gorham for approval of signs and declares the foregoing to be true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge.

SIGNATURE: APPLICANT OR APPLICANT'S AGENT

DATE

PRINT NAME

Using two cells per foot (below) provide a sketch of the proposed sign(s). Use a new page for each sign. OR provide a drawing of each sign in a scale that clearly shows what is proposed.

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